



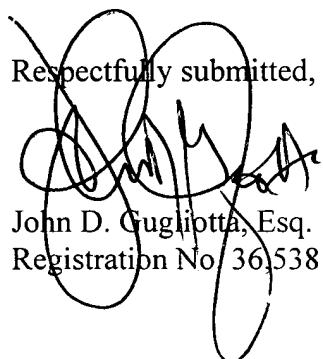
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REMARKS

Reconsideration of the application as amended is respectfully requested.

Claims 1-9 have been canceled without prejudice.

Claim 10 was objected to as being dependant on a rejected base claim, but was considered allowable if rewritten in independent form. This has been done, and new claim 11 are now dependant upon Claim 10 as amended. Therefore, applicant submits that allowance of the present application and all remaining claims, as amended, is in order and a formal Notice of Allowance is respectfully requested at the earliest possible date.

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